The Scottsville Presbyterian Church Dates Back to 1827

SOME OF ITS FAMOUS PASTORS

Building Still in Fine Condition Scottsville Lodge of Masons Elect Officers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch), SCOTTSVILLE, VA., Dec. 24.—The fol-lowing history of the Scottsville Presbyterian church is found among the records written in 1883 by the Rev. Thos. D. Bell, D. D., who was for eighteen years pastor of the church here, and who died

organized at Warren, in the year 1827, but by whom does not appear, tober 18, of this year, by request of the church it was taken under the care of the name, by the authority of Presbytery, was changed from Warren to Warren and Scottsville, church, but a few years after the former part of the name was dropped, and the organization has since buen known as Scottsville church. At the organization, there were six

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The elders were John B, Hart and Samuel Harris. In A. D., 1839, Peyton Harrison, Esq., now Rev. Peyton Harrison, of Baltimore, was received from the Maysville church, Buckingham, and was elected and installed a ruling elder, he having been before ordained to this office. The congregation probably first worshipped in a free building, which then stood in the edge of the village of Warren.

The Scottsville congregation first used Concord house of worship, which stood on ground now embraced in the Prosbyterian cometery, nearly a mile from the village. There was at that time no church building in Scottsville, and different denominations appear to have used Concord, where, tradition says, large congregations were accustomed to assemble. The present house of worship was built about the year 1832, on a lot presented to the church by Rev. Peyton Harrison, and it was the first church in Scottsville.

The first pastor or stated supply of the church was the Rev. Samuel Hurd, who appears to have remained here two or three years; but of whom little is known. Rev. Wm. S. White was installed pastor. August 11, 1832, serving the church, in Bucklingham.

three years; but of whom little is known. Rev. Wm. S. White was installed pastor, August 11, 1822, serving the church, in connection with Mrs. Hill, in Buckingham county, in the vicinity of Boiling's Landing. The same year Mr. Peter White was ordained an elder, and was for as many as twenty-five years, a pillar in the church. In A. D., 1834, Rev. Mr. White removed to Charlottesville, where he taught a female school and preached many years. He afterwards was extensively known, in the church as the Rev. Dr. White, of Lexington, Va., During his pastorate the church was much revived and increased, especially by a visit from the Rev. Daniel Baker, a well known eyangelist of that day. Fifteen members were added in one year bringing up the number of communicants to fifty. At this time, Joseph Walker who was afterwards a useful elder for more than thirty years, was brought into the church.

The next pastor was the Rev. Samuel B. O. Wilson, who was ordained and installed June 18, 1835. His pastorate continued until A. D., 1840, when he was succeeded by the Rev. John B. Ross, who look charge of this church in connection with The Cave, Albemarie county. He appears to have left in A. D., 1843, and in April of the next year, the Rev. Wm. P. Hickman was engaged to serve the church as a stated supply for one year. Here occurs a considerable interval during which there was no regular preaching in the church.

n A. D., 1847, Rev. Wm. Pinkerton added is church to his charge of The Cove, ving to each the half of his time. This lation continued until A. D., 1851. In D., 1850, Peter C. Hoge, an elder in is church, united with the Baptist urch, and for more than twenty years as a useful minister in that denomination.

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In A D., 1852, the Rev. Edward Cochran began to supply the church, and on June 5, of the next year, he was ordained and installed by West Hanover Presbytery. This relation was dissolved March, 1855.

The church then remained vacant until A. D., 1855, when the Rev. James H. Flizzerald began to preach as stated supply, giving to it the half of his time. He at the same time had charge of Maysville church at Buckingham Courthous, near which he lived. In A. D., 1856, he removed to Sectisville, the church having provided itself with a manse. He con-

removed to Scottsville, the church having provided itself with a manse. He continued this relation of stated supply until the spring of A. D., 1809, when he accepted a call and was installed pastor. In October of the same year, however, this relation was dissolved, and Mr. Fitzgerald removed to Kentucky. The manse was presented to the church by Mr. Issac R. Barksdale, one of the elders, and Mr. Wm. Branch, one of the congregation. It is a very suitable house, and has connected with it, about twenty-five acres of land. In the spring of A. D., 1870, the Rov John McKelway began to preach as stated supply, but after Inboring about six months, his health compelled him to leave, and he lived but a short time afterward.

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In November, 1811, Ray Thes. D. Pall

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an unfinished state, it was visited with a considerable revival. Rev. Messra. Peabody. Knox and Campbell conducted the services. As the result, a large number considering the size of the congregation,

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For a number of years past, the church has about held its own. It has now seventy-three members. The clders are Christ Hornsey, Isaac R. Barksdale and Harry A. Keith Murray; the deacons are Jacob Luther Moon, Z. Lee Glimer and Thos. P. Hoge.

Here the little history ends, and the life of the gentle pastor was ended a few years later. Dr. Bell was for twelveysars a next-door neighbor of the writer. He was a learned man, a faithful pastor, and a beautiful christian. About three years after his death, his wife, Mrs. Harriet B. Bell and her daughter, Mary, removed to Harrisonburg, Va., where Mrs. Bell died a few years ago and where Miss Bell, of edughter, still lives. Messrs. A. Gilbert Bell, of Scottsville, T. Stilles Bell, of Petersburg, and the Rev. Wm. Bell, of Helena, Montana, a son by a former marriage, also survive their parents.

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The Presbyterian manse was burned to the ground in February, 1901, and only the crumbling ruins remain of what was once a happy home.

Mr. Isanc R. Barksdale herein mentioned, for many years a pillur in the church, was for some time superintendent of school in Albemarie county, succeeding Mr. D. P. Powers. Mr. Barksdale died in the summer of '98 and was buried in Hollywood. Mr. Jacob Luther Mood in Hollywood. Mr. Jacob Luther Mood removed to Richmond in the fail of '99. The Rev. James H. Fitzgerald, while living in the manse, conducted a gir's school in the house which is now the home of the writer. The Rev. Mr. Flournoy, referred to below was the adopted son of the Rev. Mr. Fitzgerald. The pastors of the church since '487' have been Rev. Robert W. Carter, Rev. W. C. Flournoy, Rev. Plummer F. Jones. The elders at present are Dr. J. P. Blair and Mrs. T. S. Heath; deacons, Mesers. John W. Nicholas, A. Gilbert Bell, and Joseph Bishop. Many members during this period have been removed by death and other causes, but many have also teen added to the church roll, which anw numbers about sixty-five.

At this writing the outlook is promising under the leadership of the Rev. Plummer F. Jones, of Buckingham.

The building is in good condition, and does not look its three score years and iwelve.

Richmond Monday after A visit to her brother General J. C. Hill.

Mr. Francis Harris, arrived here on Tuesday night from V. P. I., Blacksburg, to spend the holidays.

Dr. J. S. Pendleton has returned from the Memorial Hospital, Richmond, much improved in health.

Mr. Marion Pitts is at home from Randolph-Macon Academy, Bedford City, for the holidays.

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Mr. James Dornler returned to West
Virginia Sunday after a visit to relatives
here. The merchants here have gotten
in a good supply of holiday noveities and
the streets are full of Christmas shoppers. The ice bridge across the James
is a great convenience to the people of
Bucklingham. Buckingham.

LOCAL-OPTION FIGHT.

Water Grows Scarcer in Bath County and Wells Are Dry.

church.
In November, 1871, Rev. Thos. D. Bell, having been appointed evangelist for West Hanover Presbytary, moved his family into the fining, and began preaching regularity at Scottsville and Howardsville. At the present writing, A. D., 1883, this arrangement still continues.

Of the internal history of the church, but little information can be gained.

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it is very cold. The average of the mercury is about twenty degrees above zero.

Water is gradually becoming more scarce day by day. Of course, there are springs and zome well that apparently are unaffected, but the residence wells and springs are fast drying up, and the citizens have to carry water some distance for general use.

Warm Springs Lodge, A. F. and A. M., No. 23, at a regular communication on Friday night, December 16th, elected the following officers for the ensuing year; Worshipful Master, E. Ernest Payne, Senior Warden, F. T. Campbell; Junior Warden, J. W. Harper; Secretary, J. R. Criser; Treasurer, J. E. Payne; Senior Warden, J. W. Harper; Secretary, J. R. Criser; Treasurer, J. E. Payne; Senior Deacon, A. H. McDannald; Junior Deacon, E. M. LaRue; Chaplain, Rev. Wm. C. White; Stewards, R. T. Payne and W. J. Pritchard; Tyler, John C. Criser.

Mr. Charles A. McMannaway arrived here Thursday night from Beckley, W. Va., where on Wednesday he was married to Miss Dixie Woods. Mr. McMannaway is the oldest son of Captain and Mrs. T. P. McMannaway, of this place, with whom the happy couple will resided during the

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On January 5th, 1905, the ladles of Hot On January 5th, 1906, the ladies of site.

Springs will give a musical comedy in the

Odd-Fellows' Hall at 8 o'clock at night.

Mr. Benjamin Wrapp, assistant miller

of the roller mills, of McClintic & Co., at

this place on last Saturday night, slipped

and fell and bruised his hip considerably. from which he has suffered a great deal

this week.

Messrs, Carl Bowers and Joseph Botkin,
of Cowardin, left this week for Lexington,
N. C., where they will be for the winter.

Maise, the infant daughter of Mr. and

MOUNTAIN DROUGHT.

Water Courses Dried Up in Highland in Mid-Winter.

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MONTEREY, VA., Docember 24.—A popular theory, based upon intelligent observation and generally accepted. Is that there need be no fear of hard freezing until the general water supply is flushed by fall or winter rains; but two consecutive seasons have now combined to explode this theory, and Highland county finds herself wrapped in the embrace of rigid winter, with the smallest water supply ever known at this or any other season. Her few cisterns and many of the wells, are as dry as her defunct brandy stills, which wilted under public centiment years ago. Every flour mill of thritty farmers. The streams which are dignified as rivers and creeks, and which furnished a meager supply during the fall, are now frozen dry, and only those fed by cold springs are now left.

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hold.

The members of the Methodist Sunday school at Monicrey will give an entertainment on Wednesday evening, presenting an appropriate canlata.

Dr. W. B. Carwell, of Elkins, W. Va., spent last night at the Hotel Monterey. He came as the representative of the Dry Fork Railroad, to ascertain the extent of the injuries received by Mr. L. S. Dickenson, a traveling salesman of Montercy, who was in a wreck on that road four weeks ago.

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The Misses Lowman, of Dayton, Va., are spending the holiday season with relatives in and near Monterey.

Mr. C. K. Parmer, a Highland county farmer, has just purchased the Peter D. Yeagor property at Traveler's Repose (now Bartow), W. Va.

BETHEL ACADEMY.

Fine Military Bearing Prevails. Basket Ball for Winter Athletics.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WARRENTON, VA., December 24.—The WARRENTON, VA., December 34.—The first term of the present session of Bethel Academy closed Wednesday, the 21st, with the usual Christmas hop.
The present term in many respects has been the most successful and satisfactory in many years. The cadets in their examinations, now in progress, show the result of diligent study and careful teaching.

The new commandant, Major S. K

The new commandant, Major S. K. Finkhouser, of Harrisonburg, Va., has filled his position in all respects in an eminently gratifying manner. He has worked a wonderful transformation in the military bearing and deportment of the cadets. Any one observing the change could hardly fall to be impressed with the value of military training as an adjunct in schools.

The foot-ball team during the fall made an enviable record, defeating in several instances teams which outwelghed them, and playing in all with that-snap and dash characteristic of boys who receive military training and are fit physically.

The cadets expect to put a basket-ball team in the floid during the winter months, and the prospect for a base-ball team in the spring is most encouraging. In all respects the well known old institution seems to have entered upon 2 new ers in prosperity.

THE WEEK IN STAUNTON

week. This german will be a brilliant and the principal society function of the holidays.

At the Western State Hospital for the Insane, the annual "lackey" dance, given for the benefit of the better class of patients and the attendants, medical faculty and guests, took place Friday night. Elaborate preparations had been made for the occasion, and it proved to be the best that has been held for some years past, and was greatly enjoyed by the guests, dancers and a large number of spectators.

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An claborate programme for the Christmas music at Trinity Episcopal Church has been prepared, and music of Christmas music at Trinity Episcopal Church has been prepared, and music of Christmas day will be unusually attractive. Among the soloist are Mrs. P. V. Burggardner, of South Carolina: Capt. H. D. Dibblee, of West Virginia, Mrs. R. N. Blackford, Miss Fannic Tams, Mrs. Laura McCoy, Mrs. Charl-: Hittcheosin, Messra. Lynn; Tucker, L. H. 30yd and D. E. Bublit.

Among the Christmas wedding which have occurred in this city and neighborhood during the past week are the following:

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Miss Mary Knightly has received a very handsome rug from her brother, Mr. John Knightly, who is now in Moniana, The rug is a very handsome on the many day of the standard day of the standard day of the standard day of the standard

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Hargrave, of the West Point Pharmacy,
fell from a stool a day or two ago and
hurt himself badily, cutting his face severely. He is confined to his bed. Mr.
Bidney Beay, at one time his clerk, now
a student at the Medical College in
Richmond, is taking Dr. Hargrave's place
for the present.
Mr. and Mrs. James Denmead, accompanied by their daughter. Miss Emma
Denmead, left last week for Washington,
D. C., where on Wednesday Miss Emma
became the bride of Mr. J. H. Leath.
Mrs. Leath was one of West Point's
most charming young ladies. The happy
couple will reside in Baltimore.
The Baptisi Sunday school will have
big entertainment Thursday at 7:30 P. M.
The Mothodists will have theirs at 1:30
P. M. Friday.
A boat belonging to Captain J. L. Mulford was badly injured by the ice last
week, and had to lay up in Baltimore
for repairs.
Miss Crystal Farinholt, who has been
so ill at the Memorial Hospital, in Richmond, is very, much ibetter and will be
home in the near future.
Miss Marian Owens will spend Christmas in Baltimore with Miss Kitty Livingstone.
Miss Judith Curter will leave via the

mas in Baitimore with Miss Kitty Livingstone.

Miss Judith Carter will leave via the
Baltimore steamer for her home in the
Northern Neck of Virginia to-day.

The Misses Yingling, from Annapolis,
Md., are spending Christmas with Miss
Annie McCanna.

This afternoon the school girls and boys
who are studying away from West Point
are expected home, viz: Misses Ethel and
Mary Edwards, Olive Gault, Nettle Williams, from Blackstone; Margaret Bagby,
from Hollins Institute; Maud Coleman,
from Danville, and Mary Coleman, from
Farmville: Messrs. Walter Hargrave and
Jeter Palmer, from Washington and Lee
University: Malcolm Jones, from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg;
Alvah Hudson and Sidney Bray, from
the University College of Medicine, Richmond.

Mr. Thomas Scott Basby and wife and

LEESBURG, VA.

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home from Macon, Ga.

Miss Alice Wise, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lucien Curry, in Richmond, Va., has returned to her home
in this place, after an absence of several

Rev. J. W. Grubb, well known through-ut Loudoun, is suffering from a serious Rev. J. W. Grubb, well known through out Loudoun, is suffering from a seriou affection of the eyes, and is under treat ment in a hospital in Washington, D. C Hon. Lloyd T. Smith, of Northumber land county, whose recent death is an ounced, was a native of Middleburg, this

county.
Dr. C. M. Iddings, a prominent physician of Leesburg, who was operated on for appendicitis several days ago, is con-

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ABINGDON, VA.

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social events of the season in Alexandria. The hell was beautifully decorated, and music was furnished by Professor Schroeder's orchestra, of Washington. A collation was served at midnight, about two hundred guests were present, many of them from Richmond, Warrenton, Fredericksours, Culpoper and other cities of the State, and some from Washington, New York and Baltimore. It was the first "favor german" given by the club, and a large number of beautiful and costly, souvenirs were distributed among the guests dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Mason, of Woodlawn, Fairfax county, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding at their home last Wednosday.

FREDERICKSBURG, VA.

M.-Arrangements have been completed

from a visit to her sister, Mrs. John Daniel, in Washington. Mrs. E. D. Cole and daughter, Miss Alice Cole, have returned from an ex-Alice Cole, have returned from an ex-tended visit to Washington.

Mr. W. G. Hart and daughter, Miss Minnie Hart, of Fauquier county, are Minnie Hart, of Fauquier county, are visiting Mr. Ferdinand Hart and family

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Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Egerton and Miss Egerton, of Petersburg, are spending the Christmas season with their relative.
Miss Julia Hall.

WYTHEVILLE, VA.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WITHEVILLE, Dec. 24.—Colonel R. E.
Withers continues to improve His daughter, Mrs. G. Woodville Smith, of Lynchburg, and son, R. E. Withers, Jr., of Pittsburg, have returned to their homes.
Mr. Joe Kent, of Montana, is on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Virginia P. Kent, on Thion Street.

Union Street.

Mr. Robert Williams, of Washington and Lee University, is spending the holidays with his parents, Judge and Mrs. Samuel W. Williams.

Mrs. Harry Hodges and little daughter have returned to Norfolk, after a visit in town.

in town.

Miss Alice Carter, of Evansville, Ind., is spending some time at "Ingleside."

Mrs. W., B. Trinkle, is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. Koeneer, in Chattanooga.

CHATHAM CHAT

Rogers and Edward Meadows, of Pitt sylvania county, recently lost child from cramp. The children only a few days after contracting

lived only a few days after contracting the disease.
Several houses were filled with ice from two to five inches thick this week.
The Rawley Martin Chapter, U. D. C., were very delightfully entertained at a charing dish party by the president, Mrs. James Carter, on Monday at her home, on Main Street.
The Chatham Episcopal Institute closed Thursday for the holidays.
Mr. R. I. Stith, dental student at Virginia Medical College, is at home for the holidays.

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Marshall Vaden, of Fork Union Acade
my, arrived this week to spend the holi
days at his home here.

FRONT ROYAL, VA.

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FRONT ROYAL, VA., Dec. 24.—Messrs. E. M. and R. C. Tallaferro, of New York are guests of Captain T. A. Buck at the Afton Inn.

Garland Hansbrough roturned to his home in Winchester this week, after a pleasant visit to his uncle, Dr. M. F. Hansbrough, of this place.

John H. Downing and Warren J. Davis, of the University of Virginia, are at home for the holidays.

Wilbur F. Trout is at home here for the holidays.

M. A. Trout has returned from Pitts-

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SOCIETY IN SALEM

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SALEM, VA. Dec. 24.—One of the pleasantest social affairs of the season was a dance given by Miss Kate Garrett Tuesday evening at her home on the Boulevard. All the company was in high spirits, and the decorations of holly and mistletoe gave a heliday air to the scene. Dainty refreshments, consisting of punch, lees and cakes, were served at the close of the evening.

Those present were Misses Katle Bird. Bessle Galloway, Irma Killian, Clairdine Ferguson, Eula Willis, Kate Boulware. Mattle Reese, Mary Carmoday, Alma Garrett and Mr. Harry Pugh; Messrs. J. C. Boulware, George Reese, Fred Rinher, F. B. Kegley, A. M. Bowman, Jr., Preston Clemmer, Roy Carmoday, J. Bowman, Richard Clemmer, C. E. Dameron, J. P. Hurn and H. C. Pugh.

Prof. H. H. Throckmorton and Mrs. Throckmorton, of Danville, Ky, are visiting at the home of Dr. F. V. N. Painter, on High Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robby Stearnes, of New

on High Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robby Stearnes, of New Orleans, La., are visiting Dr. J. L. Stearnes.

Mr. A. M. Bowman, Jr., who spant the past week in Morgantown, W. Va., returned home Monday.

Mrs. James Chalmers and sister, Miss Martha Dungan, left Thursday for St. Martha Duncan, left Thursday for St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will spend

Petersburg, Fig., where they interest the winter.

Col. A. M. Bowman returned Tuesday from Corpensburg, Pa., where he has been in business.

Mrs. L. P. Coates and daughter, Shelly, arrived Monday, and will spend the holidays with Mrs. W. A. Ferguson on High

days with Mrs. W. A. Ferguson on High Street.
Mr. Walter Biggs, who is attending the New York Art League, is in Salem for the holidays.
Miss Nina Holiand, teacher of English in Elizabeth College, Charlotte, N. C., reached Salem Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Agnes Holland.
Miss Alma Garrett, who has been spending the past two weeks in Henry county, returned home Monday.
Miss Gates Moffett, who is teaching in Bristol, Tonn., arrived in Salem Wednesday, and will spend the holidays with her family.

family.

Mr. Charles Johnston, of Connellavill Pat, is visiting his mother at the hor of Mrs. C. C. Tompkins, in High Street.

POWHATAN POINTS.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BALHAM, VA., December 24.—Cadots
Otho T. Kean, of "Hoge Memorial Academy," and Mr. James B. Ferguson, of
"Fork Union Academy," are spending the
holidaya with their parents.
Miss Louise Irwin has returned home
after a pleasant visit to friends in Rich-

mond.

Hon. W. B. W. Brooking will leave on Monday for Arrington, Va., to attend the Brooking-Flizpatrick nuptials.

Mr. Fred Irwin, a "kuight of the grip," is home to spend the holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Anderson, of Hadens-Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Anderson, elegitives here.

is home to spend the holidays.
Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Anderson, of Hadensville, spent Saturday with relatives here en route to Richmond, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Catherine Anderson at No. 1906 Grove Avenue.

Mrs. Emma Henry Ferguson, who has been spending several weeks in Lynchburg, is home again.

Mr. Harry Irwin and wife, of Richmond, are the guests of relatives at "Blythewood Hall."
Invitations have been received here to the marriage of Mr. Lynwood Brooking, of this place, and Miss Mahel Flizpatrick, of Arrington, Va. Miss Fitzpatrick is the daughter of Mr. Walter Carrington Fitzpatrick, and is a great nice of the late W. C. Carrington, who, for a number of years was Mayor of Richmond, Mr. Brooking, is the son of Hon. W. B. W. Brooking.

LEXINGTON, VA.

Brooking.

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LEXINGTON, VA., December, 24.—Information has been received here that Mrs. Valery D. Austin. of Galveston. Texas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Smith. of Lexington, was elected president of the Toxas Division of the Daughters of the Confederacy at their recent meeting, held at Waxahachie, Texas. The Presbyterian congregation at lingrisonburg, Va., has extended a call to Rev. L. R. Turnbull, D. D., of Lexington, to act as supply during the vacancy which has occurred by reason of the death of the late pastor, Dr. Pasmer, Mr. William Carlisle Fuller, of Knoxville, Tenn., accompanied by his bride, who was Miss Annie Beite Swan, of Knoxville, is in Lexington, visiting his mother, Mrs. Samuel B. Fuller.

Mrs. James Holmes Britton, of Baltimore, has strived in Lexington to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Captain and Mrs. J. W. Ghilock, of the Virginia Military Institute.

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Mr. Sam. P. Goodloe, of Blueneld, W. Va., will spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Goodloe.

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